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Group Art Unit : 1711

In re application of : R. A. GELMAN et al.

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For : COATING COMPOSITIONS AND SUBSTRATES COATED THEREWITH

Mail Stop Amendment

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Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment

Randolph Building

401 Dulany Street

Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- A Request for Extension of Time.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
- No additional fee is required.

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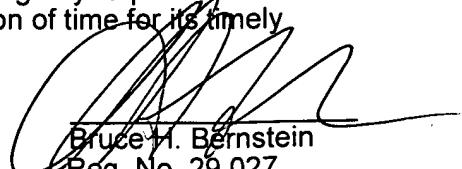
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Responsive to the Office Action dated August 16, 2006, and further to the interview held on October 17, 2006, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of record is requested. Inasmuch as the three-month shortened statutory period is set in the Office Action to expire on November 16, 2006, this response is being filed in a timely manner and no fee for extension of time is deemed necessary. Should any extension of time fee be required, however, authorization is hereby provided to charge any required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.